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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.182 TO ACCEPT THE
SIGNED DECLARATION OF MIKE HARRIS

In response to the Decision mailed 29 January 2007, please consider this a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 to accept the previously submitted, signed Declaration of Michael Harris. Michael Harris is the same person as HARRIS, Mike that was less formally nominated in the published international application.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 14 March 2007

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SECOND RENEWED SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.497(d)

This is a second renewed submission under 37 CFR 1.497(d) prepared in response to the Decision mailed on 29 January 2007 in connection with the above matter.

Enclosed with this Renewed Submission is a Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182 to Accept the Signed Declaration of Mike Harris and a Check in the amount of \$130.00 for the petition fee under 37 CFR 1.182.

The Decision states that upon inspection of the Declaration accompanying the initial Renewed Submission under 37 CFR 1.497(d), "Michael Harris" was nominated in place of "HARRIS, Mike" as published in the international application. Applicants have provided a Petition stating that Michael Harris was less formally nominated in the published international application as HARRIS, Mike.

Applicant believes that all the deficiencies noted in the Decision have been corrected. To any extent necessary, Applicant petitions the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.183 to suspend or

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waive the technical requirements of the appropriate regulations. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees incurred for such a petition to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for the undersigned.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Second Renewed Submission is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions or concerns or believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641.1267.

Respectfully submitted,

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